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1. Bulgarian Industrial Installations under Government control are located as follows:

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| Trn: | Gold mine. Small and not very important. (approximately 200 - 300 workers) |
| Bobosevo: | Coal mine. Good, but small output. (approximately 1,000 workers) |
| Pirin | Coal mine. Best quality coal. (approximately 2,000 workers) |
| Pernik | Largest coal mine in Bulgaria. Produces coke also. Output of this mine supplies Yugoslav industry as well. (approximately 20,000 workers) |
| Batanovci | Cement factory. (approximately 500 - 600 workers) |
| Ferdinands: | Coal mine. (approximately 100 workers) |
| Svoge: | Coal and graphite mine. (approximately 100 workers) |
| Kostinbrod: | Largest chemical combine factory. Produces oxygen, soap, oil etc. (approximately 1,000 workers) |
| Knyazevo: | a. Alcohol distillery b. Colors and tints c. Cotton mill d. Leather factory e. Medicines and chemicals f. Cotton and cloth g. Paper |
| Pavlovo: | Depot of the Agricultural Bank. Wine, tobacco and all agricultural products stored here. 50X1-HUM |

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Sofia:

- a. Post, Telegraph and Telephone factory (approximately 400 - 500 workers)
- b. Military arsenal. Repairs to guns, et cetera and making of small parts.

Nadejda Quarter:

- a. Cloth and cotton
- b. Rubber goods

Kurilovo Quarter:

Electricity station

Station Area:

Railway shops

Station Area:

Industrial zone of Sofia:

- a. Leather factory
- b. Soap
- c. Small industries

Lozenec Quarter:

Manufacture of screws, horse-shoes, and nails. (approximately 100 workers.)

Kazicene (18 kilometers from Sofia) Cotton and cloth.

Isker (12 kilometers from Sofia)

- a. Chemical factory
- b. Iron works and largest metal presses in the country (approximately 500 workers)
- c. Small industrial plants

Kostenec-Banja:

- a. Match factory (approximately 600 - 700 workers, including children)
- b. Medicines
- c. Paper

Trabakonak:

Small copper mine

Belovo:

Paper

Pazardzhik:

- a. Rubber goods
- b. Rice factory
- c. Small industrial plants

Kricim:

- a. Refrigerated storage
- b. Jam and preserves
- c. Agricultural center

Plovdiv:

- a. Tobacco and cigarette factory
- b. Railway repair shop and iron foundry
- c. Conserves
- d. Sugar

Stanimashka:

- a. Wine deposit
- b. Tobacco deposit

Stara Zagora:

- a. Refrigerated storage
- b. Tobacco

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| Sliven: | Largest textile center. Entirely Communist (Trotskysts and Anarchists) |
| Plackov: | Coal mine |
| Burgas: | a. Ship repair yard and foundry b. Railway repair yard |
| Buduste: (30 kilometers from Burgas) | Big coal mine |
| Pleven: | a. Agricultural center b. Wine c. Agricultural college |
| Metropolia (30 kilometers from Pleven) | Largest sugar factory |
| Trojan: | a. Leather factory b. Textiles |
| Gabrovo: | a. Cloth and cotton b. Woodwork c. Wool d. Conserves e. Small industries |
| Sopot (near Karlovo) | Military arsenal |
| Kazanlik: | Largest military arsenal and aeroplane construction |
| Drejenovo: | Largest railway rolling stock construction shop |
| Gorna Orehovica: | Sugar |
| Sumen: | a. Military repair shops |
| Ruse: | a. Big gasoline depot b. Sugar |
| Varna: | a. Ship repair yards and foundry b. Small iron works |
| Rila: | Large hydro-electric station |
| Samokov: | Largest hydro-electric station |
| Panegar: | Hydro-electric station |
| Roman: | Hydro-electric station |
| Lakatnik (to the North) | Old copper mine |

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2. Hydro-Electric Power projects.

The following hydro-electric power installations have been undertaken by the present Bulgarian Government:

- a. A dam at Rositsa 12 kilometers to the south of Sevlijevo, scheduled for completion in approximately one year. Will supply electric power and irrigation to a northern sector of the country.
- b. A dam at Koprivka to the east of Kazanlik, due to be completed in approximately two years. Will supply power and irrigation to a southern sector of the country.
- c. A dam at Tajbuoasc 18 kilometers south of Batak. Nearly completed.
- d. A dam at Haim Boaz which is nearly completed, and will service the Sliven area.

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